

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

AVR HNSS Project – Phase-I - Package-I – Excavation of approach channel from siddeswaram to pump House near Mutchumarri and excavation of link canal from pump house near Mutchumarri to PS1 (Pumping station -1) Near Malyala (V) along FRL contour of Srisailam including excavation of approach channel from km (-) 3.722 to km (-) 1.922 from (+) 261.900 level to (+) 250.000 level including construction of CM&CD works etc., complete as per parameters mentioned in the schedule – additional cost for controlled blasting – permission accorded – orders issued.

IRRIGATION & C.A.D.(PW:M&MI –R.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 47

Dated:20-02-2014.
Read the following:-

1. From the CE(P) Anantapur Lr.No.CE(P)/ATP/P-17/Hyd/camp No.62, Dt.13.2.2012.
2. Govt.Memo.No.4720/M&MI.RII/A2/2012 , Dated: 27 -02-2012.
3. From the ENC(I) Lr.No.ENC(I)/DCE(GDS)/DEE/AVRHNS Project/ Package.1/ATP dt.7.5.2012.
4. Govt. Memo.No.4720/ M&MI(R-II)/A2/2012, Dated: 1-06- 2012
5. Govt.Memo.No.4720/ M&MI(R-II)/A2/2012, Dated: 7-09- 2012.

ORDER:

The Chief Engineer (Projects) Anantapur in his letter 1st read above has reported that the executing agency of package No.1 of HNSS Project M/s. Engineering Projects (India) Ltd., Hyderabad stopped the work from April 2010 onwards after executing the work to a tune of Rs.11.72 crores. The balance work to be done by the agency is Rs.58.64 crores. The reasons cited by the agency are 1. The villagers of Mutchumarri & Nehrunagar villages demanded excavation of link channel with controlled blasting and 2. The farmers demanded extra compensation in addition to the compensation already paid by the Government. Neither of the demands were acceptable. As the problem could not be solved for 3 years, the Chief Engineer (P) Anantapur and the Engineer-in-Chief (I) have recommended for the closure of work.

2. The Expert Committee appointed by the Government to examine the issue concluded that the agency is not at fault and it has been forced to stop the work because of unacceptable and illegal demands of the farmers.

3. During the discussions the Government had with the agency, the agency expressed its willingness to resume the work if the Government pays the cost of controlled blasting and the cost of additional structures at SS rates of 2012-13.

4. If the entire balance work is to be got executed by the existing agency, the total cost would be Rs.97.30 crores as detailed below which includes the additional cost of Rs.12.23 crores for controlled blasting.

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| 1. value of balance work at agreement rates | : Rs. 58.64 Cr. |
| 2. payment for controlled blasting with present SS rates minus tender discount | : Rs. 12.23 Cr. |
| 3. additional cost of earth work in approach channel due to increase in the discharge | : Rs. 06.43 Cr. |
| 4. cost of additional structures (tentative) | : Rs. 20.00 Cr. |

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5. In the circumstances reported by the Chief Engineer (P), Anantapur and keeping in view the recommendations of the Expert Committee, Government hereby approve the proposal to get the work executed by the existing Agency by paying Rs. 18.66 Cr. (Rs. 12.23 Cr., item.2 + Rs. 6.43 Cr.item.3 in para: 4 above) since it is the most cost & time effective option for completing the work and for early realization of the contemplated benefits of the work.

6. The Chief Engineer shall utilize the provision of Rs. 20.00 Cr. made for structures only if the structures are necessary and are not in the scope of the original agreement.

7. The Chief Engineer (P), Anantapur shall quickly estimate the balance work and prepare a plan of Action utilizing CPM-PERT/GANT CHART techniques for the balance work clearly delineating the responsibilities & the time lines for every action. The Chief Engineer shall also enter into a supplemental agreement with the Agency after obtaining an undertaking from the agency that the agency will not claim any additional amount to complete the work. The Chief Engineer shall incorporate the timelines as per the Plan of Action and prescribing severe penalties for non-adherence to the agreed timelines, even when the precedent conditions were fulfilled. The process shall be completed within a period of two weeks after the supplemental agreement is entered into with the agency. All necessary steps shall be taken to realize the full benefits of the scheme by December 2014.

8. The Chief Engineer (P), Anantapur shall take necessary action, accordingly.

9. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (W&P) Department vide their U.O.No.299/F7(A2)/2014, dated:17-02-2014.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B. ARAVINDA REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Chief Engineer(P), Irrigation, Anantapur.

The Engineer-in-Chief (I), Erramanzil, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Director of Works & Accounts, Hyderabad.

The Finance(W&P) Department.

The P.S. to Spl.Secy. to C.M.

The OSD to Minister(M&MI).

The PS to Principal Secretary (AR).

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//FORWARDED:: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER